

REMARKS

Claims 1-19 are pending in the application. Claims 1-11, 13 and 15-19 are rejected. Claims 12 and 14 are objected to. Claims 1 and 14 are amended herein. Claims 12, 18 and 19 are cancelled. All rejections and objections are respectfully traversed.

Claim 1 is amended to incorporate the limitations of allowable claim 12. Claim 14 is amended to independent form including the limitations of claim 1. Claims 12, 18 and 19 are cancelled.

All rejections have been complied with, and applicant respectfully submits that the application is now in condition for allowance. The applicant urges the Examiner to contact the applicant's attorney at the phone and address indicated below if assistance is required to move the present application to allowance. Please charge any shortages in fees in connection with this filing to Deposit Account 50-0749.

Respectfully Submitted,



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